

The Democrat.

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Local and Personal News.

Miss Vida Cable is at home from a visit with relatives at Linn Creek.

Mrs. C. A. Ponder came home Sunday from a visit with friends at Detroit.

Miss Marie Doherty has gone to Bloomfield where she will teach this season.

Mrs. J. W. Cotton and son came home Saturday from their visit to her parents in Oklahoma.

Harry Cude, wife and child, are here from their home at Charleston, South Carolina, visiting his parents.

Ripley county will get \$14,028.27 school money from the State this year, more by a thousand dollars than was ever received before.

Allison Pulliam has been appointed station agent at Oxly, and went there the past week and took charge. The salary is \$70 per month.

Carr McCauley, who has been with Agent Tanner, at this station for the past two years, went to Moark on the main line of the Mopac. last week to take charge of the work of that station.

County Clerk John J. Kennon came home Saturday from his outing at Colorado Springs. He said he had a fine time and that he left all the Doniphan people happy and enjoying themselves.

E. E. Lawrence and wife returned from their trip to Colorado last Thursday. They had a nice visit but had a tough time coming home as they had mud nearly all the way. They went and came by auto.

W. C. S. Lackey left yesterday for a ten days visit with his son Tom, chief of the Baltimore hotel at Kansas City, and his son Boyce, who is a member of the Third regiment band, now stationed at that city. He expects to come home by Warrensburg and visit his daughter, Mrs. Dr. Newkirk, a few days.

Judge John Sturgis, member of the Springfield Court of Appeals, was here last Saturday with a party of friends from Springfield, their home, on their return from a float down the Current river from the upper club house. Judge Sturgis said he had fished in all the streams of Missouri, and he named them, but he said Current river beat them all, both for fine fishing and scenic beauty.

S. W. Shoemaker, who came here from Olney, Illinois, about three months ago and made a deal for the F. E. Spann place, three miles east of town on the Oxly road, died at the home of the McKinney boys, on the west side of the river, near the club house below town, last Saturday morning. His age was about 60 years, and he was a man of some property and had gone out to McKinney's to talk over a trade he was on with the McKinney boys, who are engaged in the mercantile business at Olney. He was taken with acute indigestion, he being a sufferer from that disease and while not considered dangerous did not call medical aid until it was too late to help him. He had made arrangements to put in a crop of wheat on his place, he had purchased and had the seed and the ground partly prepared. While a married man he had no children and his wife and he had separated by agreement legally drawn and attested, each taking their part of the property. A nephew, a Mr. Baker, who is a farmer and stock feeder, living at Ash Grove, Mo., came here on being notified of the death, and took charge. The body was buried at Oakridge, J. J. Seymore is the administrator of the estate.

Miss Bess Mabrey is a St. Louis visitor this week.

Hon. Jim Fulbright and family returned from their visit with relatives in Cape county last Sunday.

The public schools of this city began the fall term last Monday. There was an attendance of about 500 pupils in all the grades.

Miss Clara Barrett started last Friday for Tulsa, Oklahoma, where she has accepted a position as book-keeper in a large business firm.

Mrs. Dr. John W. McClane and two children, of St. Petersburg, Florida, arrived here Thursday noon for an extended visit with her parents. Her husband is an officer in the medical corps of the army and has been for several months stationed at Camp Greenleaf, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia, but is now on waiting orders for some other point, possibly to the front in France. Mrs. McClane came direct from Chattanooga, Tennessee, where they have been domiciled for some time, and was met by her father, Judge Langford, at Hoxie, Arkansas.

J. L. Roberts, better known as Jim Wright, whose mule was crippled up when the Briar creek bridge collapsed, a week ago, as he was crossing with a load of ties, was before County Court last Tuesday and wanted the court to pay him \$125 damages. Presiding Judge Langford refused to entertain the proposition on the ground that the court was in session for a specific purpose and would not transact general business, but that he could come before the court at its session next Tuesday, 11th instant, and present his claim as the court would then handle general business. In talking about the proposition afterward with Roberts he expressed the opinion that no valid claim lies against the county, but said he recognized the fact that damage was sustained, but he did not think the court could legally allow claims in such cases.

The convention of the school district board members and the county school teachers, held at the high school auditorium, last Thursday and Friday, was a success in every way, there being over one hundred board members present at each meeting, besides many others, and about seventy teachers. The law requires these meetings, and the officers of the boards receive pay and must attend though they don't always all do so. The program was excellent and many good talks were made both by the members and the teachers as well as by others. Dr. D. F. Luekey, State Veterinarian, attended and made an interesting talk on hog cholera and its prevention, and every person in the county who is interested in the hog should have heard it. Besides passing the usual resolution of thanks to the citizens for their courtesies, the meeting endorsed the good roads bonding proposition.

Mitch Ward and Don Moore, both old citizens of the Fairdeal neighborhood had a row about an old rogue cow belonging to Mitch, that had been jumping into Moore's fields, and when the two men got to talking about it, at Mitch's house, Moore having gone there to see him about the matter, they got mad and Mitch, understanding Moore to use language that he wouldn't stand for, got a pistol and shot at him. Moore, an excitable man and always ready to fight when occasion requires, went home and got his shot gun and went back to Mitch's house and fired a load of shot at him, some of the shot, No. 4 in size, striking Mitch but not causing much damage. Sheriff Worley went out to see about the trouble but as Moore was away from home and there was not much said about the shooting and no complaints have since been filed the matter, in so far as the principals are concerned, is supposedly dropped.

Homer Miles came down from St. Louis for examination before the local board the past week. He claimed no exemption and was passed by the board.

A. E. Richmond and son John were here from Elsinore this week looking after business affairs. They said business was very good with them so far this year.

Dr. and Mrs. D. F. Luckey and children returned to their home at Columbia last Saturday, after a summer visit with Mrs. Luckey's parents, T. J. Doherty and wife.

C. L. Kellar and family, of Portland, Jay county, Indiana, were here the past week looking after their farm on the Oxly road three miles east of town. They will return the coming week. They made the trip by auto.

The entertainment given for the benefit of the Red Cross Association, at the high school auditorium, last week Thursday night, was one of the best ever given in this city by local talent, but a very small audience was in attendance.

Walter Gary, Dr. Carter Proctor, J. Ad. Thomas and Chas. O. Booker, made a trip to St. Louis this week on business and pleasure combined, as they are all base ball bugs and some good games were scheduled for that city by the major leagues.

Isador Lewis, the St. Louis business man who never fails to come here for the fall fishing in Current river, arrived the first of the week and is out up the river somewhere now enjoying the sport. Mr. Lewis has traveled all over the world and fished everywhere from the Arctic to the Antarctic oceans, but he thinks the sport in Current river is the best of all.

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He Rode With Morgan.

W. C. Featherston, generally known to his friends as "Uncle Dickie," died at the home of his niece, Mrs. Ed. Ponder, at 8:30 o'clock, last Saturday night and was buried the following Sunday at Amity church yard, about two miles east of town. His age was 86 years, and while feeble, he was able to get about right lively until recently. Infirmities of old age and Bright's disease caused his death. He was a native of Kentucky and as a young man served in the Confederate army, being a member of John Morgan's noted cavalry command nearly all the time that brilliant raider was in the field. Uncle Dickie was a nice old man and had many friends.

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Company "E" News.

A pay day is anxiously looked for almost any day now, and the boys of the camp will be happy when the ghost does walk.

During the past week a number of pictures of camp life scenes and groups of Company "E" boys have been received by relatives and friends of the members. The boys look like real soldiers in place they have their uniforms and complete equipment.

The following short letter was received last week from Color Sergeant Harry Howard, "E" Company, Sixth Mo. Guards, at Camp Clark, Nevada. Sergeant Howard is not only regimental standard bearer but is also regimental stenographer and belongs to the headquarters staff:

By request of the Officers, also several of the men of Company "E," I wish to thank our many friends who so loyally stood behind us in the organization of our company, and until our leaving Doniphan. Your encouragement means much to us at this indefinite time, which seems so likely to develop into seriousness, but whatever may come, Company "E" will endeavor to represent you in the best possible way. Although we have not entered the service for the purpose of stimulating the war, but to help end it; to reunite homes that have been wrecked by this great crisis, and to preserve our own home ties, and we sincerely hope that we may be instrumental in bringing about a condition where Justice will rule more supremely than ever before.

Most of the boys seem to be satisfied. There is Y. M. C. A. tent in our Regiment, which is furnished with free stationery, writing tables, lights and a piano, and it is used for any kinds of amusement the boys desire so long as they are gentlemanly about it. The Sixth Missouri Infantry has an extremely good military band from Cape Girardeau, and other good musical talent aside from the band; also some good speakers, especially Major Morgan from Poplar Bluff, who has given some interesting as well as very much needed talks to the boys. Besides having the use of the Y. M. C. A. tent for all of these things, the managers conduct a school each day between drilling periods for men who are interested in learning to read and write. With all of these advantages it is almost impossible for one to get lonesome.

We hope that our entrance into the service will be a benefit to French, Germans, Americans and humanity in general, but more strictly our interests are at home, therefore I wish to again thank you on behalf of Company "E" as a whole, for your loyal support and encouragement.

Annual Statement

of the financial condition of Doniphan School District, Ripley county, Missouri, at the close of the fiscal year, ending June 30th, 1917:

Receipts—Teachers' Fund.
July 1, 1916. To balance.....\$1,797 71
Received from Current and Back taxes 4,320 90
do do Public funds.....1,472 54
do do Teachers' Training course 750 00
do do Nonresident tuition.....576 25
Total receipts.....\$8,292 21

Expenditures—Teachers' Fund.
By Teachers' warrants for salary.....\$6,494 50
To balance.....1,797 71
Total.....\$8,292 21

Receipts—Incidental Fund.
July 1, 1916. To balance.....\$ 97 45
Received from Current and Back taxes 1,808 93
do do Foreign Insurance.....195 85
do do State bank premium.....172 98
Total receipts.....\$3,275 11

Expenditures—Incidental Fund.
By salary to Sewell.....\$182 00
same to Lackey.....50 00
Janitor's salary.....84 00
Janitor's Pharmacy supplies.....69 02
Insurance.....56 70
Printing.....60 28
Free text books and library supplies.....255 48
Repairs, material and grades.....137 17
Telephone service.....21 00
Wm. Welch & Co. supplies.....81 27
Disinfectants.....20 00
J. A. Thomas, supplies.....23 85
Miscellaneous expenses.....170 52
Total.....\$1,220 95

Building Fund—Receipts.
July 1, 1916. Balance on hand.....\$1,636 29
Building Fund—Expenditures.
By amount paid on piano.....\$ 122 30
paid to Morgan for lighting plant.....219 02
Total.....\$1,494 97

Sinking and Interest Fund—Receipts.
July 1, 1916. Balance on hand.....\$ 244 37
Received from Current and back taxes 2,777 09
Recovered from interest on school fund loans.....66 00
Total.....\$3,087 46

Sinking and Interest Fund—Expenditures.
By payment of semi-annual interest on bonds, November, 1916.....\$ 687 50
By same, April, 1917.....657 50
Total.....\$1,345 00

July 1, 1917. To balance on hand.....\$1,712 42

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FORETOLD WORLD WAR



Predicting this world war, and besides that having predicted both the first and second Balkan wars and the assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand, the heir to the Austrian throne, should be conclusive indication of an ability to foretell the future accurately. With her past performances in mind, the latest prophecy of Mother Rita of Monastir, the famous prophetess of the Balkans, carries additional weight. She now predicts that Vienna will fall on the day King Peter, aged monarch of Serbia, dies. Perhaps time will prove her right. Stranger things than that have happened.

GIRL BATTLES WITH MAD DOG

Edith Helena's Daughter is Severely Bitten by Animal in New York.

New York.—Two apparently mad dogs were shot in Brewster after one of them savagely attacked Miss Edith Jennings of Lykens, a daughter of Mrs. Edith Helena, the opera singer. Some flesh was torn from the girl's cheek.

The dog grabbed at the young woman's throat first. She fought it off, and the second time it bit her in the face. On a third attack it was beaten off by a man with a club. Policeman Charles Hutchins shot the dog.

Another dog, which apparently went mad, was shot a short while afterward. The heads of both were sent to the state authorities at Albany for examination.

FAMILY HAS A GREAT AMERICAN WAR RECORD

Elizabeth, W. Va.—The family of N. D. Madden, near here, is a soldierly and patriotic one. Madden is a veteran of the Civil war. His great-grandfather served in the Revolutionary war. His grandfather served in the war of 1812, his older brother in the Mexican war. He and another brother fought in the Civil war and a younger brother fought in the Spanish-American war. Two of his sons are in the present war and four other sons are awaiting the call.

"EAT ALL YOU CAN'T CAN"

New Slogan of the Federal Department of Agriculture Announced.

Washington.—"Eat all you can't can" is the new slogan of the department of agriculture in its campaign for conservation of perishable fruits and vegetables. Heretofore, it has been "can all you can," but now with a big output of fruits and vegetables the department is pointing out that the housewives might well vary their menus by devising dishes composed in large part of these products which will not keep.

"While it is imperative that as much food as possible should be put up in tins or glass jars, or else dried and properly stored," says a department statement, "it is nevertheless well to bear in mind that by varying the diet much food which would otherwise be lost can be made to sustain life."

ERECT MONUMENT FOR PET

Horsemen to Place Handsome Headstone Over Grave of World-Record Filly.

Cleveland, O.—Laid to rest at North Randall race track as tenderly as if she had been a child, Mary Putney, world record filly, is to have a handsome headstone erected to mark her grave.

She is mourned by her owner, Chauncey B. Sears of Fall River, Mass., as sincerely as if she had been a lifelong human friend.

So he has ordered a marble shaft, four feet high, to be carved with her name and world marks she has set in mile races as a three-year-old and a four-year-old trotting filly.

The date and record she made in winning four big futurity stakes also is to be included in the inscription. Her grave is beneath a cluster of elms which stands out prominently in the landscape as you gaze directly across the track from the grandstand to the far stretch.

Tollgates, 100 Years Old, Go.

Philadelphia.—Announcement of the sale of the Lancaster turnpike to the state means that after more than 100 years the string of ugly little tollhouses by the side of the famous highway will disappear. It means, too, the saving of thousands of dollars to motorists and that there can be unrestricted travel between main-line towns in machines.

MAYOR OF TOWN IN FLORIDA



Mrs. George Horvitz, society woman and civic worker of Philadelphia, farmer on a large scale in the Florida everglades, recently was elected against her will to be mayor of Moorhaven, Fla. In Moorhaven, the mayor must act as judge of all offenders against city ordinances and legal knowledge is necessary.

Mrs. Horvitz, strange to say, is not interested in suffrage.